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Applicant: Ikuo NAKAGAWA et al.
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 For: **COMPUTING APPARATUS, COMPUTING PROGRAM, AND COMPUTING METHOD**

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action of June 16, 2006, Applicants submit an amendment for entry into the above-identified file.

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